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California Department of Transportation District 4
Application for Mentor-Protégé Program
(for Potential Mentor only)

Business Name: Kluber & Associates
Address: 819 Marina Vista Martinez, CA 94553-1234
Phone: (925) 228-4453
President: Frank Kluber
Contact Person: Frank Kluber **Phone Number:** (925) 228-4453
E-Mail Address: frank@frankkluber.com
Type of Business: Landscape Architecture Design Services

List Non-Caltrans Professional References:

Name:	Firm Name:	Phone:	Prime	Sub	Client/ Owner
Richard Albert, P.E.	Moffatt & Nichol	(415) 602-5923	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Jagtar "Jack" Dhaliwal, P.E.	City Of Brentwood Engineering Dept	(925) 516-5128	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Kristin Parsons, P.E. Principal	Wilsey Ham	(925) 275-9770	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

1. Please list three specific goals that your firm would like to gain from participating in the program?

- Increased interaction with engineers and architects in road and facilities construction.
- Expanded knowledge of road and facilities construction from Concept Design to CDs.
- Long term partnering relationship with Caltrans, primes and subs.

1. Please list three items that your firm brings to the relationship?

- A commitment to "Safety First" in both project design and on-site implementation.
- A record of productive working relationships with engineers, architects, permitting agencies, primes, subs, technicians and staff for over 11 years.
- A commitment to following best practice environmental and resource guidelines within the framework of the client's time, budget goals and constraints.

1. Has your firm worked with any of the following agencies?

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| d. Other governmental agencies | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |

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Business Name: Sierra Engineering Group

Address: 1328 Decoto Road Suite 120, Union City, CA 94587

Phone: 510-487-9192

President: Jesus Sierra, S.E.

Contact Person: Jesus Sierra or Mayra Ramirez **Phone Number:** 510-487-9192

E-Mail Address: jsierra@sierraeng.com and mramirez@sierraeng.com

Type of Business: Structural Engineering

List Non-Caltrans Professional References:

Name:	Firm Name:	Phone:	Prime	Sub	Client/ Owner
Stephen Biggs	Biggs Cardosa Associates	408-296-5515	Yes x	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes x
			No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Thomas Swayze	Cornerstone Engineering Group	415-369-9100 x111	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes x	Yes x
			No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Charles Beauvoir	Earthtech Inc.	(510) 419-4182	Yes x	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes x
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 2. We are certified as an SBE and DBE.
 3. The size of our firm is such that it allows for direct principal and associate level participation in projects.

3. Is your firm currently SBE, DBE or DVBE certified? Yes x No ☐
4. Can your firm provide proof of current certification(s)? Yes x No ☐

6. Has your firm worked with any of the following agencies?

a. Caltrans

Yes ☐ No ☒

b. Federal Agencies

Yes ☒ No ☐

c. Local Agencies (including CMAs)

Yes ☒ No ☐

d. Other governmental agencies

Yes ☒ No ☐

7. How long has your firm been in business?

16 yrs

8. Would you like to apply for the Calmentor Steering Committee Membership? If yes, please submit a 1 page Statement of Qualification along with this form.

Yes ☐ No ☐



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Business Name: Zoon Engineering, Inc.

Address: 2727 Lariat Lane, Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Phone: (925) 451-1585

President: Nabil Hissen, PE

Contact Person: Nabil Hissen **Phone Number:** (925) 451-1585

E-Mail Address: nhissen@zoon-eng.com

Type of Business: Construct management, project management, project controls

List Non-Caltrans Professional References:

Name:	Firm Name:	Phone:	Prime	Sub	Client/ Owner
Dan Masdeo	PB Americas, Inc.	(916)567-2511	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Alice Ghirardeli	Ghirardeli Associates, Inc.	(510) 451-4180	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Ramsey Hissen	URS Corporation	(408) 297-9585	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

- Please list three specific goals that your firm would like to gain from participating in the program?
 - Setting up Caltrans compliant accounting system
 - Foster and build relationships and networks
 - Become a mentor in the program
- Please list three items that your firm brings to the relationship?
 - Over 20 years of experience in industry
 - Existing relationships with various public agencies
 - Vast technical expertise and knowledge

- Is your firm currently SBE, DBE or DVBE certified? Yes ☒ No ☐
- Can your firm provide proof of current certification(s)? Yes ☒ No ☐
- If not, are you planning to be certified? Yes ☐ No ☐
- Has your firm worked with any of the following agencies?
 - Caltrans Yes ☒ No ☐
 - Federal Agencies Yes ☒ No ☐
 - Local Agencies (including CMAs) Yes ☒ No ☐
 - Other governmental agencies Yes ☒ No ☐

8. Would you like to apply for the Calmentor Steering Committee Membership? If yes, please submit a 1 page Statement of Qualification along with this form.

Yes ☐ No ☒



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Business Name: Powell & Partners, Architects
Address: 807 Broadway Suite 200: Oakland, CA 94607
Phone: 510-663-3800
President: Fred Powell
Contact Person: Fred Powell **Phone Number:** 510-663-3800
E-Mail Address: fpowell@powellarchs.com
Type of Business: Architectural Firm

List Non-Caltrans Professional References:

Name:	Firm Name:	Phone:	Prime	Sub	Client/ Owner
Gary Smith	Wells Fargo Bank	415-396-7953		Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes X
	Corporate Properties Group		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Ana Ward	Port of Oakland	510-627-1253	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes X
			No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Terry Miller	Don Todd Associates	510-412-8803	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes X
			No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

1. Please check the top 3 goals that your firm would like to gain or learn from participating in the program?

Accounting Procedures ☐ Advertising ☐ Business Development ☒ Contract Opportunities X
Certification (SBE/DBE/DVBE) ☐ Financing ☐ Proposal/Bid Submittal ☐ Labor Compliance ☐
Coach during Interview Process ☐ Networking X Project Team Development ☐ Specify Others: ☐

2. Please list three items that your firm brings to the relationship?

- 34 years of experience in Architecture - Competitive Fees with high quality service
- Experience in completing a variety of building types

3. Is your firm currently SBE, DBE or DVBE certified? Yes X No ☐
4. Please provide proof of current certification(s)? Yes X No ☐
5. If not, are you planning to be certified? Yes ☐ Yes ☐
6. Has your firm worked with any of the following agencies?
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Yes ☒ No ☐
Yes ☒ No ☐
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7. How long has your firm been in business?

10 yrs

8. Would you like to apply for the Calmentor Steering Committee Membership? If yes, please submit a 1 page Statement of Qualification along with this form.

Yes ☒ No ☐



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Address: 130 Sutter Street, #468, San Francisco, CA 94104

Phone: (415) 392-9688

President: Chi-Hsin Shao

Contact Person: Khoi Le **Phone Number:** (415) 392-9688

E-Mail Address: kle@chsconsulting.net

Type of Business: Transportation Engineering Design & Planning Firm

List Non-Caltrans Professional References:

Name:	Firm Name:	Phone:	Prime	Sub	Client/ Owner
Dave Mansen	Parson Transportation Group	415-495-6060	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Bill Hurrell	Wilbur Smith & Associates	415-495-6201	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Tilly Chang	San Francisco County Transportation Authority	415-495-6201	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1. Please list three specific goals that your firm would like to gain from participating in the program?
 - a. Develop good working relationship w/Caltrans District 4
 - b. Expand our engineering capabilities and capacities
 - c. Transition to leading major planning and design projects with Caltrans

2. Please list three items that your firm brings to the relationship?
 - a. Local engineering firm committed to the growth of northern California
 - b. Highly qualified and enthusiastic technical staff
 - c. Committed to the production and development of quality deliverables to our transportation agencies and prime consultant.

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